

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s) Tim Keith, et al.

Group Art Unit: 1637

Serial No.: 10/670,184

Examiner: Angela Marie Bertagna

Filed: February 22, 2006

Confirmation 2818

For: NOVEL HUMAN GENE RELATING TO RESPIRATORY DISEASES AND OBESITY

**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))**

Mail Stop Amendment  
 Commissioner for Patents  
 P.O. Box 1450  
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

1. This is a petition for an extension of Amendment and Response to Restriction Requirement.

2. The communication in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested

☒ is filed herewith.☐ has been filed on \_\_\_\_\_.3. ☐ Applicant(s) is/are entitled to Small Entity Status.☐ Statement has already been filed

4.		<u>Total Months Requested</u>	<u>Fee for Other than Small Entity</u>	<u>Fee for Small Entity</u>
a.	<input type="checkbox"/>	one month	\$120.00	\$60.00
b.	<input type="checkbox"/>	two months	\$450.00	\$225.00
c.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	three months	\$1,020.00	\$510.00
d.	<input type="checkbox"/>	four months	\$1,590.00	\$795.00
e.	<input type="checkbox"/>	five months	\$2,160.00	\$1,080.00
f.	<input type="checkbox"/>	An extension for ___ month has already been secured for filing the above-identified communication and the fee paid therefore of \$___ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested. The fee for this extension (\$___), minus the fee previously paid (\$___) equals \$___ (total fee due).		

5. ☐ A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ to cover the extension fee is attached.
6. ☒ Charge fee to Deposit Account No. 13-4500, Order No. 2976-4039US3.
7. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required by this paper, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-4500. Order No. 2976-4039US3.

Respectfully submitted,  
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Dated: January 4, 2007

By:



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